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Notices to Consignees.

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Hongkong, January 16, 1884. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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or about the 21st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, January 17, 1884.

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" Tannadice." Captain S. G. GREEN, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 12th February. Parcels (all of which must be sent to our

Office) will be received up to 4 p.m. on the 11th February, Contents and value of the Packages must be declared.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, January 10, 1884.

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(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND.) The Steamship " Woosung,"

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Hongkong, January 7, 1884.

Intimations. MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY IN CHINA.

& Gotoh, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. THE FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING of this SOCIETY will be held in CANTON, at the House of Messrs, Russell & Co., on THURSDAY, 24th January, at. Two o'Clock p.m.

J. G. KERR, Secretaru.

Canton, 17th January, 1884. BURNS' ANNIVERSARY.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports A BANQUET under the Auspices of the HONGKONG St. ANDREW'S SO-OIETY will take place at the CITY HALL, on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at 7 p.m. SCOTCHMEN desirous of attending will OHINA:-Macco, Meisrs A. A. DE MELLO | please send their Names to the Undersigned & Co. Swatow, Quelch & Co. for Submission to the Committee before Amoy, Wilson, Nicholls & Co. the Evening of the 21st Instant, after which Co. Shanghai, date the List will Close.

A. D. MACTAVISH, Hon, Secretary, Hongkong St. Andrew's Society.

Hongkong, January 17, 1884. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Thirty-Fifth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 52, Queen's Road, on TUESDAY, the 29th January instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Director and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to 29th Instant, inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.

P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary. Hongkong, January 8, 1884.

MENDERS will be Received at this OFFICE until the 31st JANUARY, 1884, for SALVING the S. S. HWAI-YUEN'S TREASURE, about SIXTY THOUSAND DOL-LARS, sunk in the North of Hei-shan Islands in about eighteen fathoms of water.

The Tenders will be forwarded to Shanghai for acceptance. CHINA MERCHANTS' S. N. Co.

Hongkong, January 17, 1884. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

A S the Post of SECRETARY to the A Company is about to become vacant Applications for same will be Received at the HEAD OFFICE up to 1st February next. By Order of the Board of Directors,

Chairman. Hongkong, January 3, 1884.

WM. REINERS.

HONGKONG ICE COMPAN LIMITED.

NOTIOE.

N and after the 1st October, th PRICE of ICE will be REDUCED TO 11 Cents per pound. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, September 15, 1883.

553 for BALLS, BANQUETS, DINNERS HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. THE FOURTH and FINAL CALL of £10 Storling per SHARE on the 20,000 SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this Corporation, will fall due on the 31st December Ournest, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and

REGISTERED SHAREHOLDERS entitled NEW SHARES, are requested to Pay, at the respective Offices, the above Call or its equivalent in the Currency of the abovementioned places.

PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES are being issucd in Exchange for the First Call Receipts. which are to be surrendered to the Bank. MEYERINK in our Firm CEASED on the HOLDERS of PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES, when paying this Call, will please send same to this Office to be endorsed. The Rate of Exchange for Hongkong is

fixed at 3/- 81d. or \$53.93 per Share. INTEREST at the Rate of 7 % per Annum will be Charged on Calls unpaid on the 31st December.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, December 13 1885 121

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Hongkong, January 9, 1884.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

Acency, Hongkong.

LAND OFFICE,

Hongkong, November 20, 1883.

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THE Undersigned will NOT be RE-

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> The Organ was built in 1560 and paid for by public subscription. An Organ ought, doubtless, to last much longer than 23 years in a good climate, but, besides the fact that the mistake seems to have been made in the first instance of selecting a cheap instrument, in 1860 makers knew even less than they do now about guarding 60 against the effect of tropical heat and damp. Moreover, by the unfortunate choking up of a roof gutter during a typhoon some years ago, the interior of the Organ (even then

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Hongkong, January 15, 1884.

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THE COMMISSION appointed to enquire into certain CHARGES of CORRUPTION which have recently been Publicly made against the OFFICERS of the PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT has commenced its Sittings, and all Persons who have any information to give upon the subject matter

NOTICE.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Secretary.

Mr. Andrew Vind, NEWS AGENT, &C. is authorized to receive Subscriptions.

of its Enquiries are invited to communicate with the Secretary. All such Communications if desired will be considered Confid-COUNCIL CHAMBER, Hongkong, January 3, 1884.

133, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK: Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail. Overland China Mail, and China Reviele. Auctions.

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TAR. GERALD SLADE and Mr. ALEX

rized to Sign our Firm from this date.

T HAVE This Day admitted Mr. J. B.

ELIAS a PARTNER in my Business.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong and Foochow, 1st January, 1884. NOTICE.

MEYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1884. NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY in our Firm of Mr. WILHELM

1st January, 1883.
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Hougkong, January 1, 1884. HOP SHING & Co., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS,

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REINERS, CEASED on the 31st December, Mr. MAX GROTE, Mr. CARL JANT

ZEN and Mr. STEPHAN C. MICHAEL-

SEN, who have been Signing the Firm,

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Sign our Firm por Procuration.

Hongkong, January 1, 1884. TIE HAVE This Day Established BRANCH of our Firm in Tamsui

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MILNER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF SAFES, CASH and PAPER BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.

Hongkong, December 1, 1883.

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SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, ADEN, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B. Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, PRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK

AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM principal places of Europe. NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship HYDASPES, Captain G. SCRIVENER, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, vid BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the the 28th January, 1884. (Parcels are not 22nd January, at 4 p.m. Cargo will be received on board until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

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For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Vulue of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Passongers for MARSEILLES. -A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 10, 1884.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. TIHE S. S. OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama,

on SATURDAY, the 26th January, at Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES. - Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San

Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

Carco, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus- and Conditions. toms, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central. F. E. FOSTER,

Hongkong, January 12, 1884.

TITHE REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF LOGAN AT CANTON that appeared in the China Mail has been printed in PAM-PHLET FORM, and is now on Sale. -Price, 30 Cents.

Hongkong, October 3, 1883. WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ludies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. - Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA PORT SAID, SYRIAN PORTS, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA; PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

Mails.

TUESDAY, the 29th January, 1884, at Noon, the Company's S. S. DJEMNAH, Commandant DE Boisseuit. BARON, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port

for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the

Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 28th January, 1884. Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office. Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the

I. MARTIN, Hongkong, January 16, 1884.

Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTEP, OF His Majesty King George The First, л. р. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-

Marine Department. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia. Fire Department.

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Hongkong, July 25, 1872. NOTICE. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY. THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godowns at a per cent, net premium per annuu. NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above. Company, are authorized to Insure against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882. LANGASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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to through fares from China and Japan to TIHE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on land, Mexican, Central and South American Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors | T ESSONS given on the PIANO and for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE. COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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Entertainment.

CITY HALL. DAVIS & D'ANGELIS,.....Lessees.

THISEVENING. Saturday, 19th January, 1884. CHAND COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT

MISS FLORENCE CONLIFFE HE LOFTUS TROUPE. GENTLEMEN AMATEURS.

Last Performance in Hongkong "LA MASCOTTE.

CHANGE OF CAST. . Fritellini — Crown Prince of Pisa. Miss Florence Conliffe. LAURENT XVII-Duko PiombinoMr Jeff. D'Angelis. Pippo-A Shepherd .. " F. W. Oakland. Rocco-A Farmer C. J. Barber. MATHEO-An Innkeeper......Gentleman Amateur.

PARAFANTE-A Sor-Tito—A Bohemian ... MARCO-Ditto..... GIUSEPPE—A Peasant FIAMMETTA-Laurent's Daughter......Miss Minnie Nordt.

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ROCCO'S FARM.—(Spring). Act 2nd.

LAURENT'S PALACE. - (SUMMER). Act 3rd. THE CAMP OF PRINCE FRITELLINI

-(MID-WINTER). AT THE FOOT OF THE APENNINES. NEW SCENERY, by Mr. C. J. BARBER. ELEGANT COSTUMES.

Instrumental Music under the direction of PROF. WILLIAM BLAKENEY. TUESDAY EVENING, Jan. 22 COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT OF MISS VICTORIA LOFTUS. When will be presented

The Celebrated Comic Opera, 'LES CLOCHES DE CORNEVILLE," DISTINGUISHED AMATEURS, THE LOFTUS TROUPE.

THURSDAY, 24th Jan , BENEFIT OF MISS MINNIE NORDT,

The Great Henry Irving Success "THE TWO ROSES. Box Plan at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's, 14 where Seats may be secured.

J. CHAS. DAVIS, Manager. BARTLEY O'BRIEN,

Hongkong, January 19, 1884. Intimations.

E. J. DURNY,

PROFESSOR OF MUSIC. ORGAN. TERMS MODERATE.

c/o. The "China Mail" Office. Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND

CONTINENTAL PORTS. A RRANGEMENTS have been made for Agents for the above Company are A passing the Company's Steamers prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE through the Suez CANAL in QUARANTINE, RISKS to all parts of the World, at current thus avoiding any detention in EGYPT.

The Homeward Mails are now being landed at VENICE, but the QUARANTINE which is still imposed at this and all other Contin-ENTAL PORTS prevents the landing of Passengers, and those travelling by the Company's Steamers are advised to remain on board the Vessel which calls at MARSEILLES en route-stopping a few hours only to discharge Cargo—and proceed in her direct to London, thus avoiding all QUARANTINE delays and inconveniences.

ITHIS paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars Fifty Cents including postage to Coast ports.

It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever issued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business and legal footing. The projectors, basing their estimates Amoy, for Swatow. upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan,from Australia, California, Singapore, Pe-Kowshing, for Swatow, &c. nang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese,—consider themselves justified Geelong, for Singapore, &c. in guaranteeing a large and ever-increasing

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GEO. MURRAY BAIN, China Man Office.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Mether the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Honghong. Harbour: ALDEN BESSE, American barque, Capt. A. Noyes — Melchers & Co.

ANNETTIN, Italian barque, Captain F. Repetto — Museo & Co. ANTIOCH, American barque, Capt. J. D. Wyman.—Order. BONNIE LASSIE, British barque, Capt. F.

Clarko.-Gilman & Co. MOUNT LEBANON, Brit. barquetine, Capt. Nelson.—Rozario & Co. NELLIE MAY, American barque, Captain Aitell Austin.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

Fowler.—Russell & Co. Sr. Ideuc, French barque, Captain J. Duron.—Carlowitz & Co. WILHELM, German barque, Captain W. Spugelberg.—Siemssen & Co.

SELEMBRIA, British steamer, Captain

CAPORAL CIGARETTES.

SUPPLY of the above in Good ORDER A has just been Received. A. S. WATSON & Co... Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, January 2, 1884. To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship "Ningpo," Capt. R. CRAWFORD, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 20th Inst.,

at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 19, 1884.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship Kwangtung,"
Captain Young, will be
despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, January 19, 1884.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY LIMITED.

ITHE Third Ordinary Annual MEETING on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of February, 1884, to receive a Statement of the Accounts of the Company to 31st December, 1883, and the Report of the General Managers.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 26th January to 6 6th February, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

> Hongkong, January 19, 1884. SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS, No. 23. Light-ressel "Tungsha" to return to her Station, and Light-vessel "Kiutoan"

to be removed for Repairs. NTOTICE is herebý given that, on or about the 2nd February next, the Light-vessel Tungsha will be replaced on her Station; also that on or about the same date the Light-vessel . Kiutoan, which is to be brought in for Repairs, will be replaced by the Light-vessel Newchwang. The Newchwang's Light and Riding Light are of the same description as those ex-

hibited by the Kiutoan. Her Hull painted Red, with the word Newchang in White Letters on each side, and she has Three Masts, the main carrying a Black During thick or foggy weather a gong

will be sounded at 1-minute intervals on board of the Newchang while she occupies the Kintoan's Station.

A. M. BISBEE,

vHarbour Master. GEO. B. GLOVER. Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House, Shanghai, 15th January, 1884.

> SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

January 19, 1884 :---Phra Ohula Chom Klao; British steamer 1,000, H. H. Lightwood, Bangkok Jan. 10, Rice.—Chinese.

Vortigern, British steamer, 876, Brown,

Mantong Jan. 14, General.—ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Kowshing, British steamer, from Canton. Ningpo, British steamer, from Canton. Tientsin, British steamer, from Canton. Fushun, British steamer, 1503, Croad,

Hoihow Jan. 18, General and 500 Pigs.— C. M. S. N. C. Hydaspes, British steamer, 1,891, G. W. Scrivener, Shanghai Jan. 17, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

DEPARTURES.

January 18:-

Kowshing, for Swatow, &c.

Centaur, for Macassar. Nimpo, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

Per Hydaspes, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Mr H. Sibbaid. Mr and Mrs Leith. infant and servant, Miss Schliehting, Messrs O. W. Baird and servant, E. Burmister and servant, Chearny and servant, J. P. Oxsirer and servant, B. M. Botelho, and 23 Chi-

I nese; for Singapore, Mr C. D. Kerr; for Calcutta, Mr and Mrs Burns and servant. Per Phra Chula Chom Klao, from Bangtok, 107 Chinese.

Per Vortigers, from Mantong, 20 Chi-Per Fushun, from Heihow, 36 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Kowshing, for Swatow, &c., 3 Euro-

peans, and 45 Chinese. To DEPART. Per Centaur, for Macassar, 10 Chinese. Per Ningpo, for Shanghai, 14 Chinese. Per Namoa, for Coast Ports, 150 Chinese. Per Mosser, for Saigon, 12 Chinese. Per Gordon Castle, for Singapore, &c.,

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British stemmer Phra Chula Chom Klao reports: Fine wenther to Pulo Obi. from there to port strong head wind and The British steamer Fushum reports: Strong monsoon and cloudy throughout.

Paper, 6 cases Silks, and 4 cases China Ink. in Chinese month. Matting, 257 pkgs. Sundries, 53 cases China | the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann, Ware, 60 cases Essential Cil, and 125 pkgs. overy Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Firecrackers.

PUST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:-

For SHANGHAL -Per Ningpo, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 20th inst.

For SAIGON .-Per Olympia, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 21st inst. For AMOY AND MANILA .-

Per Esmeraldo, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 21st inst. For NAGASAKI, HIOGO, AND YOKO-Per Khiva, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday,

the 24th inst For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND. COOKTOWN. TOWNS BRISBANE, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE .-Per Euxine, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the

ly notified. MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.-The British Contract Packet Hydaspes will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 22nd January, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the

8th February, instead of as previous-

of SHAREHOLDERS will be held MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. at the Office of the Company, No. 7, The United States Mail Packet Oceanic, will Queen's Road Central, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, be despatched on SATURDAY, the be despatched on SATURDAY, the 26th inst., with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

Australasian Colonies.

1.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres pondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

 $\it MAILS$ by the French Packet.—

The French Contract Packet Djemna will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 29th January, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract

Packet :-Day of Departure,-Noon. - Money Order Office closes. 2 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. r.M.-Mail closed, except for Late

3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—When the Post Office closes 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of departure. Money Orders.

1.-Money Orders are exchanged with the following countries :— South Australia. Straits Settlements. Taemania. New South Wales. United Kingdom. Port Darwin. Victoria. Queensland. Western Australia. 2.—The Hongkong Post Office also issues orders on Shanghai, and vice versa. 3.-The commission is as follows (ac-

cording to the currency the order is drawn

£ 5, or \$25, or R 50,.....0.40 £ 7, or \$35, or R. 70,.....0.60 £10, or \$50, or P.100,.....0.80 ,, R150,..., \$1.00. 4.—No Order must exceed £10 or \$50 limit), nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of

the same payee, by the same mail. 5.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the Ports of China by Ex means of Postage Stamps, subject to s charge of one per cent. for cashing them, or Money Orders can be granted on Ports where there are agencies of the Hongkong

* No orders on Japan are issued at the British Post Office, Shanghai.

General Memoranda.

Tuesday, January 22:-

Goods per Oxus undelivered after Noor subject to rent and landing charges. 4 p.m. English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall. Wednesday, January 23 :--Daylight.—Kucanglung leaves for Coast

Friday, January 25 :--7 p.m. -Banquet of Burns' Anniversary THE Jupiter left Kowloon Dock to day 1 at City Hall. SATURDAY, January 26 :--

3 p.m .- Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. Steamer Oceanic leaves for Yokohama and San Brancisco. Transfer Books of The Hongkong Ice Company, Limited, closed from this date to 6th February.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Daylight. - Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. 4 p.m .- Ningpo leaves for Shanghai. religious services :---ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -- Rev. W. Jen-

nings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain. Morning Service 11, Evening 5.45. Holy Communion every Sunday, except the 2nd and 4th in the month. Military Service. - Rev. H. W. Lee, B.A. Military Chaplain. Parade Service at 9 4. M. Holy Communion on the fourth Sunday at the conclusion of the Parade Service. Union Choron.—Service, 11 A.M.—Rev. . Colville. Service in Chinese, 2 P.M.-Rev. J. Chalmers, M.A., L.L.D.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, for SEAMEN, &c .-Rev. H. W. Lee, B.A., Chaplain. Service at 5 P.M. Holy Communion after Service on the third Sunday in each month. All the Seats are free.

West.—Hongkong Christian Association Services for Seamen, on Sundays, at 7.30 P.M., and on Fridays, at 7 F.M. St. Stephen's Mission Church.—Rev. J. B. Ost, and Rov. Lo Sam Yuen. (All Per S. S. Electra, sailed 16th January :- Services in Chinese.) Morning Prayer :-Hongkong to Havre, 914 bags Coffee, 998 Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at rolls Matting, 186 bales Canes, 110 cases 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 P.M. Preaching, China Ware, 74 pkgs. Sundries, 30 cases at 6.30 r.m. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday To Hamburg, 293 pkgs. Canes, 167 rolls | German Bethesda Chapel - Service in

> Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, ing Service, Benediction.

> > MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Auctions.

2 p.m. - Auction of Chinese and Japanese Curios, &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. Shipping.

5 p.m.—Esmeralda leaves for Manila.

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BIRTH. At Shanghai, on the 15th Jan., the Wife of Alfred Robinson, of a Daughter. DEATH.

The publication of this issue commenced

TELEGRAMS. LONDON, January 18th. Latest advices from Cairo state that a telegraphic despatch has been received by the Egyptian Government, from the Governor General of the Soudan, stating that the Mahdi and his followers have cub off the retreat of the garrisons in the Province of

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

is now due.

Dec. 27; Glenfalloch and Diomed. Dec. 31 ; Telemachus and Menelaus, Jan. 3.

and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 21st instant. The steamer Compta left Batavia for this port on the 1st instant, and Saigon on the 14th instant.

Titania left Singapore on the 13th

port on the 14th instant. The D. D. R. steamer Feronia left Singapore for this port on the L6th instant. ORDER OF SERVICE AT THE CATHEDRAL --2nd sunday after epiphany.

The S. S. Benalder left Singapore for this

35, "O Lord Most Holy"; Kyrie, IX Davy; Hymn, 302. ensong :- Psalms, 113; Cantate, 72 Deus Misereatur, 82; Anthem, 43, "The Lord descended"; Hymn, 223, 1st tune ; Hymn, 20. According to a Sydney paper the Eastern

SEVERAL dredgers are at work in the Brisbane River, deepening the channel. Large vessels will soon be able to go up to the city instead of stopping in Moreton Bay Roads as they are compelled to do at. present. The work is expected to be

the Ping-on and the Montiara will leave Kowloon Dock on Monday, The Europa will be docked on Monday in Kowloon Dock, and H.M.S Wirern and two torpedo boats also will go to the Cosmopolitan Dock

LONDON MISSION CHAPEL, Quesn's Road

St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road.— A.M. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Even-PEAR CHURCH.—Holy Communion on 4th Sunday at 8 A.M. Presbyterian Service on 4th Sunday Evening at 4.30.

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At Shanghai, on the 15th Jan., John NORMAN (DEEDEE), second Son of Ewen

and Josephine Cameron, aged 3 years.

The China Ithail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1884.

Sennaar and rendered the River Nile impassable a little below Duam.

Passed Canal:-Hector, Dec. 20; Antenor, The next English Mail, per the P. & O. steamer Assam, left Singapore on Sunday, the 13th inst., at 10 p.m., and

Tuesday, the 15th instant, at daylight The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamship

The next American Mail, per the O. & O.

steamer Occanic, left Yokohama on

The steamer Glenroy left Singapore for this Up to £ 2, or \$10, or R 20,....0.20 cents. (unless drawn on India, when R150 is the Matins: Venite, 5; Psalms, 109 Unison 110; Te Deum, 55, Herbert; Jubilate, 4, Appendix double; Anthem.

port on the 13th instant.

and Australian Steamship Company are having-two 12-knot steamers built in England for the trade between Hongkong and Australia.

finished shortly.

on Monday.

Wise, the Junior Police Magistrate, before order of the Government. rihew, and remitted the case against Ser- tivate tobacco largely this season on one

WE understand that quite a large number | spection. of Chinese boysfrom the Government Central School have placed their services at the disposal of Mr Cheung, the agent of the China Merchants' S. S. Navigation Company here, Tientsin. They will be trained in naviga- well to the fore. Three Australian syndithere, and during their course will receive 16 some of the aplendid sugar lands which tacls and food, and will-be eligible for posts | abound on the rivers in Sandakan Bay, but rising to the value of two hundred tasls. they are late in the field and will have to . Many of the boys of the Central School are | go further afield from this central harbour. in posts of trust in the Chinese service, and one is captain of a gunboat cruising of Hainan.

PLAY in the cricket match between the Foodhow team and a team of the other. members of the Club finished at gunfire to-day: the result being a draw, much in favor of the Stay-at-homes. The match would, in all probability, the same time it may be as well to have resulted in a win had time allowed. The Foochow 11 scored 95 in their first letter, dated Haiphong, 10th instant, our innings and 109 for 8 wickets in their special correspondent made the following second innings, whilst the club men significant remarks :- "Admiral Courbet made 285 in their one innings. Some of the | very wisely keeps his plans and intentions "Foochow" eleven were very slack in to himself, but an order came down to the Mushroom N.E. E.; 17 fathoms of water. appearing and the fielding and bowling chief of the Commissarist here last night to showed room for improvement. Scoones prepare and forward to Hanoi, at once, one played remarkably well for his 44 in hundred and twenty thousand rations. the 2nd innings, but he must try and put a little life in his fielding.

LAST night, a highly enjoyable concert was given in aid of the funds of the Temperance Hall by a number of ladies and gentlemen, amateurs. Owing to a variety of circumstances, there was a very meagre attendance of the public, and the proceeds of the enards liquidating the large debt of \$1,500 which the Hall has incurred. Some generous friends are sadly wanted; but we have go through the programme of last night's | for that port on Tuesday last, Mr Colquhoun performance in detail, and will simply con- being a passenger by her. According to the tent ourselves by saying that all the per- | Shanghai papers the telegraph line has now formers gave the greatest satisfaction to the been extended from Tung-chow to Peking, audience. Mr Brower's singing of the so that when the Canton-Tonquin line is "Slave Chase," and Signor Cattaneo's per- completed, the ministers at the Taung-li formance, on the planeforte were among Yamen can be informed immediately of what the best executed items in the programme. is transpiring on the southern borders of to her fore part only.

A VERY satisfactory practice with sevenpounder breech-loading guns was made by the detatchment of Gun Lascars stationed here at Stonecutter's Island this morning. in the presence of His Excellency Major-General Sargent; Colonel Walker. R.E. Colonel Crawford, R.A.; Major Lloyd, R. E.; Brigade-Major Cochrane, and Lieut Porter, Aide-de-Camp. The men were said electric lighter, which costs, I believe, under the command of Captain Brackenbury. The floating target was stationed 1400 yards distant, and the men fired with common shell; shrapnell; double common shell, reduced charge; and the Palliger shell. The shooting throughout was good, in some instances excellent. The following is the result of the firing :--

1. Common shell,-40 yards over. - 5 yards short. Shrapnell, -- 60 yards short.

-Burst 10 feet above target. Double common shell-Struck target. 8. Palliser, -40 yards over.

THE steamer Euxine, Captain Peters, lian ports yesterday, encountered a very bevere "Nor' Easter" two days after leaving have been issued for the despatch of 900 December last, prosecutor and some riesity, she left for Kwachow, and returned of the 20th ultimo, the barometer commenced to give indications of a coming storm. Every preparation in the shape of Lord Castleton, who is at the Brevoort were standing on the verandah of the cury. securing all the moveables on board the House (Mr Irving's hotel), has of course ship was made to meet the approaching gale. been interviewed. In the course of this a brothel. Prisoner looked hard at prose-The baremeter continued to fall during the interview he is reported as saying to the re- cutor, and then, reaching round a partition forenoon, and at one o'clock, the wind porter, "I wish, me boy, that you would which divided the two verandahs, strack had increased to a strong gale. By and the Prince of Wales. You know some stick. Presecutor asked prisoner what he two o'clock, the sea had risen considerably, rescal has circulated the report that mes if meant and, prisoner went into the house. and for the next 30 hours the Engine was severely handled by the elements. Part sent on speaking terms with H. I. H. I' the door as the foreigner was coming. Pro- peninsula, nearly half-way between Fu-san aft ventilators was torn away, thus allowing a "How could I be on speaking terms under the prosecutor. Prosecutor and the others are the same number of public offices as in large quantity of water to get into the aft the circumstances?" and he laughed hearting in the club then retreated to the verandah, Fu-san, but only very few business houses, hold; the fore try-sail was split, while the ly .- Figure. ship's rail was considerably damaged fore and aft, and everything not securely fastened was swoot off the deck. The lowest reading of the barometer was 28.30. Some idea of the force of the gale may be formed from the fact that the Eurine was unable, steaming hard, to make more than three returned last night. We regret very much knots against the wind.

speculators, and a photographer, also pro- must have been over 200 souls on board.

The case in which Sergeant Butlin and Mr ceeded from Hongkong to Sandakan in the and the fearful accident stands without a stand without a stands without a stands without a stands without a stand with a stan Clerihow, Inspector of Nuisances, are monthly steamer. The complete plant for charged with havin; caused the death of a small sugar mill for raw sugar was for- of the sad news, all the steamers in harbour, was very much like another, and prisoner, by rafters. The doors are half paper, and his acquaintances pictures of the island in three Chinese gamblers, was again before warded on the same occasion. It was ship belonging to the Company, are flying their mistake, entered the door of this club, serve the purpose of windows also; they are his studio, but finding we must arrive on the Police Court this morning. Mr A. G. ped by Messrs De Lissa and Sachse to the

whom the case came, discharged Mr Cle. The China Saba Company intend to culgoant, Butlin to be tried at the February, their estates in Sandakan. An experienced Criminal Sessions. Bail was allowed to Sumatra manager and staff have been ennow in route for that port on a tour of in-

His Excellency the Governor, The Hon, W. H. Treacher, has consented to stav has expired, and Mis Treacher and sister who has been deputed by Li Hung-chang are on their way out from England to retrained for commanders of men-of-war at the prospects of this favored country are

A RUMOUR is current among the Chinese

was that Admiral Courbet would wait for

step, which might possibly bring him into mushroom. collision with overpowering Chinese Imperial forces, and, in spite of this rumour, we still adhere to our opinion. point out that in closing his which means a fortnight's provisioning for five thousand men and looks like taking the field at an early date." It has been stated in this journal already that the Chinese authorities were busy constructing a telegraph line from Canton to the borders of Tonquin. Possibly this line has already been carried a considerable distance in the direction of Tonquin, in which case it is tertainment will do very little, indeed, tow- quite easy to understand the Chinese at Canton could get news of what was going | centrifugal pump to the Sicatore, the Tunsin on in Tenquin quite as quickly as it would. under certain circumstances, he brought up little or no doubt that the appeal of the by steamer from Tonquin. The Saltee will committee for assistance will not be made be the next steamer to arrive here from in vain. We do not think it necessary to Haiphong, and she only left Hongkong was passed outside Steep Island, shortly

> The electric gas-lighter is a really capital She struck the rock with such force that invention, and I wonder our vestries do not her stem as high up as the twelve-foot adopt it for public lamp-lighting. All you have to do is to put the little wheel at the end of the handle to the gas jet and touch a spring, on which an electric spark at once kindles the flame. As each lighter is stored with 30,000 sparks, it will be easy to calculate the comparative cost of vestas and the 21s.—Figaro.

the Empire.

"Masrodomic Annie," as the newest German giantess is playfully called, has been united in the bonds of wedlock to Patrick O'Brien, Esq., also a member of the gigan. tic persuasion. Annie is slightly taller than | behalf of the Crown. her new husband, who is 7 feet 11 inches in his stockings, and weighs 300 lb. Theirs in the Surveyor General's Department, was a case of love at first sight, and they was charged, first, with shooting at one propose, as soon as existing arrangements | Tsam Kin Shan, a storekeeper in the emare at an end, to "Boss" their own show, ploy of Messrs Meyer & Co., with intent to in other words, to exhibit themselves on inurder; second, with shooting with intent to their own account. - Figoro.

Ir would appear from the following telegram in the Sydney Mail that the English troops recently sent out to Hougkong are not intended as relief to the forces now there :-- "In consequence of the unsettled E. J. da Silva, E. Hyndman, C. O. G. and is in kegs of about 30 lbs. state of affairs in the East, the Imperial Henermann, L. J. Lopes, G. A. Wieler, moster, which arrived here from Austra- Government has decided to reinforce the | and H. R. Coombs. British troops on the China station, for The evidence for the prosecution was to rived yesterday, and attracted large numthe protection of British interests. Orders this effect. On the afternoon of the 30th bers of the Chinese. To gratify their cu-Sydney. At nine o'clock on the morning infantry to China, and the troops will pro- friends had been feasting in a Chinese last night, and is now lying in one of the ceed thither by the steamship Hankow Club in Stanley Street. About half- creeks below the Settlement until her ser-

> contradict that beastly yawn about meself prosecutor a blow on the left wrist with a and the Prince are not on speaking terms, A short time afterwards, prosecutor alleges you know." "And are you, then, at | pe. | he heard a coolie woman cry out to shut I." said his lordship with sudden energy.

THE WRECK OF THE

"HWAI-YUEN;" The Shanghai Mercitry of the 15th inst. savs :- "The C. M. S. Haean which left here on Sunday for the scene of the wreck to state that the trip of the Hueun has proved fruitless, as not a single survivor In regard to Sandakan, British North Bor- of the ill-fated steamer could be found; nso, we learn that Mr W. B. Pryer, the and there can be no doubt that all on Consular Agent for England and the Gov- board, with exception of the five Chiernment Resident of the East Coast, re- nese belonging to the graw of the turned to his official duties last month. Hwai Yuen who arrived here a day or taking a bride with him. Several Lind two ago per Tunin, have perished. There

on board the Hacan, which having left the | accidentally. wreck at 10 a.m. yesterday, arrived in port at 2.30 this morning. The Mushroom steady and respectable man. here that the attack upon Bacainh was Rock is the northernmost of the eight rocks | The jury returned an unanimous verdict | building without the least adornment. commenced some days ago. Our opinion which lie off the Hieshan Group, and is of not guilty on all three counts, and the called thus on account of the sea having so | prisoner was discharged much undermined the rock as to cause it further reinforcements before taking this to bear some resemblance to a large

The s.s. Yehsin, which arrived here to-day from Amoy, reports having been signalled, when off the Hieshan Islands, by the Chinese gun-boat Chao Wo. The Yehsin stopped engines, the man-of-war was sending a boat, having on board the Harbour Master of Ningpo. The Chao Wo left Ningpo for the purpose of looking for the wreck of the Hwai-yuen, and the following are the bearings of the wreck :- Part of Fore-yard and Main-top mast visible. Fore-top-mast gone. Middle of Saddle Island S. by W ? W.; Cheng Rock E.S.E.;

THE MISHAP TO THE "SWATOW." Says the Shanghai Mercury of the 14th Friday morning last to runder assistance to the beached steamer Swatow, returned from the scene of the accident this afternoon, followed shortly by the Swalow. The Tunsin reports having arrived at Shoal Bay at 4 p.m. on Saturday last. She found the Swatow at anchor and going alongside the vessel, took some 170 tone of cargo out of her forehold. Having transhipped the left again at 2 a.m. the following day, the former steamer following up. steamers, having arrived at Gutzlaff, proceeded full speed as far as Tungsha Lightship where the Tunsin left the Sucatow, the latter coming up slowly. The S. S. Hacan afterwards by the corvette Chraçoa, steering for the wreck of the Humi Yuen. The Swatow arrived in port this afternoon, anchoring below the shipping, to await the turn of the tide. From what we hear the vessel, after striking Soudan Rock at about 5 a.m. on the 3rd instant, was beached six hours afterward in Shoal Bay, and we are pleased to hear that the damage done to the Swatow is not very great, it being confined week.

The N.-C. Daily News Rays :- The Swatow goes into Tong-ka-doo Dock to repair mark was curried away, as was also her

SUPREME COURT.

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before the Hon. James Russell, Puisne

Saturday, Jan. 19.

These Sessions were resumed this morn ing, the Attorney General prosecuting on

John Minhimett, an overseer of works do grievous bodily harm; and, third, with maliciously wounding.

guilty to all the charges.

Club, they saw the prisoner leaning over the verandah of the house just adjoining, and prisoner went downstairs. Immediate- and only about a hundred residents. ly thereafter the Police were called in and houses (which were built in Japan)

parallel in the annals of recent maritime, decided to visit a friend who lived close to the rooms are small, usually about 10 by 6 feet, idelatry. A photographer of Honelulu, who disasters in Eastern seas. In consequence club. As very one knew, one Chinese door and not more than 6 feet from floor to travelled with us, desired to show some of flags half-mast: Since writing the above He went upstairs, and when he get to the often not more than 4 or 5 feet high, so Sunday, he expressed his regret that he we have been favoured with the following: top of the landing he found the trap door even very small men have to stoop low on could not show them "for want of light," The Haran, having left Shanghai at 11 closed. He pushed it open; and went in, entering. Little or no furniture is required "Light " exclaimed the others. Yes, a.m. on Sunday last, arrived at the Hieshan Immediately he had done so he heard a in these primitive dwellings, for the matted light; if a shutter of my place were to be Group at 4 n.m. on the following day, man call out something, and half a dozen floor serves every purpose; small dining seen open on Sanday, we should all get tables about a fact high are used by those into trouble, and mine wouldn't end soon. Hwai Yuen was found in 18 fathoms of ing their club, came out of a room, and who can afford them. The flue of the clay This "Sabbath" is said to have been brought water, about one mile distant off Mushroom rushed at him and attacked him with con- cooking-stove ramifies beneath the floor here by missionaries from Boston-from Rock. There can be no doubt that the siderable violence. He saw he had made of one or more rooms, which are thus Boston, which now enjoys open galleries Sergeant Butlin in a personal security of gaged. Mr Harton of Foochow having vessel struck this rock, and that after strik- a mistake—he had not the least intention kept always warm and dry; the smoke and libraries on that day, and concerts a large plantation interest in Sandakan is ing she was backed and sank on the spot, of intruding—and turned to retire but could is carried off by a wooden chinney built every Sanday evening. I cannot tell you where she is lying. Her masts can be seen not and found the door closed. During outside the house. Almost every house on half the incidents which showed the inout some 3 feet above low water. A Chinese the struggle which ensued, prisoner, having the street is a "shop" of more or less pre-credible severity of the laws. I have gun-boat was there previously to the arrival no stick in his possession, and being one tentions, and here the poverty of the place known what it is to be waylaid by the of the Hacan and fastened a red flag on a among so many, pulled out his revolver, bamboo to it, so that the wreck is visible at and began to strike his assailants with it. host of these establishments consists in a books, friends, or other defences, but opened and returned to the writers. high water. There is a very strong current at In some way totally unknown to the pri- few tobacco leaves and a little fruit exposed never before encountered such a laborious another year although his term of service the place, the bottom is muddy, and diving soner, the weapon accidentally went off, for sale on a small board projecting from a day of rest as this. operations will soon be commenced with, and the Chinese retired to the verandah, diministive window. The larger stores re- What compensation was possible for misas there are fears that the vessel will sink and prisoner, naturally enough, made his quire a space of about four square yards on sing an experience from which I had hoped too deep in the bottom. Several boats, way out of the place and went home. Mr which to display their conglomeration of much was accorded by the hospitable gento select at least twelve lads who are to be side with him at Sandakan. Generally which were sent to make enquiries in all Mackean explained that prisoner had fre- Manchester cotton goods, home-made linen, themen of Honolula to whom I brought a the neighbourhood of the scene of the quently to cross the harbour late at night wooden shoes, tobacco pipes and pouches, letter of introduction. One of these took wrock, could get no news as to any sur- in connection with his duties, and generally aniline dyes, matches, &c. (These last- me to a church of the natives, who appeared vivors. Not even a single body has been carried a revolver to protect himself. He named articles are, of course, imported.) to me the cream of the copper-coloured race. tion and seamanship at the naval academy cates have been lately formed to obtain washed ashore, with the exception of that commented on the evidence given for the On market days the produce of the country I heard part of a sermon by one of them. of the one Chinaman, who clong to the prosecution and argued that it was quite for many miles round is brought infor sale, which possibly impressed me more than if I boat with the avas survivors, and was frozen evident that prisoner had not any intention of and people from remote villages come to had understood it. The language was pleato death, and has been interred. Captains murdering or injuring the prosecutor from make their weekly purchases. The Prefect sing if not musical, the preacher's voice low Tisdall and Patterson and Mr Woir, in the the fact that he had never seen him before, of the district resides in Teh-yuen-fu. a and sincere, and his few gestures graceful. China Merchants employ, were passengers and had only fired the one shot and that small town four miles from Yuen-san; his There was no sign of emotion, much less

The Sessions were then adjourned.

Police Intelligence. (Refore H. E. Wodehouse, Esq.) Saturday, Jan. 19.

THE "ENTERPRISING BURGLAR." soner saw the constable he made off. constable caught him, however, and found thatch, on his person a pair of scissors, a knife and a sharp instrument, used for barglarious

DESETTING A HAWKER'S STALL. Ismail, an unemployed Arab fireman was fined fifteen dollars, or, in default payment, was ordered to suffer .28 days imprisonment for capsizing a hawker's stall and for assaulting the hawker. He

CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS. Massa Editor, -I savey English one small a piecee and makee read that sojer man's chit last night. I think all a same that piecee; more better Massa makee leave muchee small-no can hear, no can savey is the Island of Lepers-Molokai. There | tremely beautiful, and with a placidity of

Tientsin.

29th December, 1883. It appears that Li means business, for he has given each Reserve List General (there are about 40 of them here) a Winobester carbine, with a request that they should go to target practice every morning, so as to be able to shoot the French if they come here. Among the above-mentioned tienerals are some young men of about 601 summers or more, and many of them have however, we round the hold promontory ing at Amberst College, Massachusetts never handled a carbine in their life, and I am told they find it rather a difficult task this cold weather to hit a large target 100. yards distance. They are very grieved that Li should act thus, and place them on a level with a common soldier, with whom they have to do target practice with on the Exercise Ground. Shanghai Mercury.

Chinkiang.

18th January. Quite a large number of native soldiers and coolies were employed yesterday in Mr Mackean appeared for the prisoner, ment to the Fort at the top of the and on his behalf, tendered a plea of not which commands the whole view of C inkiang, and its surroundings. This gun-The following gentlemen were empanel- powder has been brought down from the

The Chinese steam-junk, which was mentioned in your issue a few days since, arpast ton or eleven o'clock the same vices are required to chase the bold smugevening, while prosecutor and a friend glers on the Grand Canal, -Shanghai Mer-

> PORTS OF COREA. YUEN-SAN (元 Ш).

When the trap was half way closed, prisoner | 1880, when the port was first opened in | sing and fountains that play, but it is all tried to prevent it and fired his revolver at accordance with the Tro ty of 1876. There a report made to the Police Station A mostly wooden structures, half European revolver bullet was found on the stair of and Japanese style; they look pretty, but the club, and Inspector Quincey, who are are quite unsuited to the climate of this rested Minhinnett in his own house in place, where the winter season is long, and Mosque Junction, shortly after the occur- almost sectic in severity. The site of the rence, found a revolvers in the house, settlement was evidently chosen by men one barrel of which had just recently been ignorant of sanitary laws, for the ground fired, and the bullets of which corresponded wet and spongy, and it is bounded on one with the one found on the stair of the side by a huge swamp. The European setclub. On prosecutor's garmenta being thoment will be on the slope of a hill, two

of the left shoulder corresponding with the to the capital, and is a long straggling town You may suppose that in Glazgow you them) with grand success ; I saw the newest holes in the coats. Dr Ayres said he with only one street, having a few short know all the paralysis that Sanday can one, with the boring machinery still around, thought the abrasion of the skin had been lanes branching from it. It has two market bring on the daily life of a community. But spouting up copiously several yards in the caused by the pressure of the hallet, and places where fairs are held every five days. You are wild Sabbath-breakers compared air, while the natives gazed on with admira-

Yamen is somewhat like those met with in of any excitement, in the audience. I look-

of its natural surroundings.

wooded. Tigers and leopards are so numer lady's dress falls from the arms to the feat Wong Akin was charged by Ip Acheung rous that in winter it is unsafe to venture without being gathered at the waist; it is with being at large in the public street off the main roads. Even the streets of the susceptible of artistic treatment, and the (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, without a light or pass, also with being in settlement and towns are visited by these Russian ladies often wear it (in white) as possession of housebreaking tools on the ferocious beasts when the salw compels their summer morning robe. But it is to 19th instant, at 5.15 a.m. The constable them to leave the hills in search of food. be feared that the artistic sentiment and stated he saw the prisoner in Staunton They have been known to force an entrance taste of these natives is being steadily tram- BAROMETER-Street coming towards him. When pri- into the huts of the natives by springing | pled out. I have been told that their native

glary on the 17th November last. He ing from the quantity of gold exported, out of the islands every year-some thirtyinstant : - The S. S. Tunsin, which left on was fagain sontenced to six months hard The Tsuraga Main, which called at this five tons—but the quantity of sweetness and port Nov. 13 en route for Japan, took away light it returns is sadly limited. nearly a hundred pounds weight of the precious metal in dust and bars. much has previously been experted is not

did not come in force till Nov. 3rd. The chief exports are gold, hides, bones, horns, beans and fish. Large quantities of the latter-a sort of sprat or sardine-are sent to Japan for manure. - The Star in the

SKETCHES IN A TOUR ROUND THE WORLD.

S.S. An tradia, on the Pacific. September, 1831. savey more better. Any time I see he which the rosy east and the blue sky had babies were. Not a cry, not a whimper, askee that schoolmaster sojer "how far painted like the interior of a shell for lastre. was heard among them during all the serthing he talkee-because he talkee too it a wide berth; no ship stops there, for it these infants closely, and found them exand massa I think more better catches one nearly a thousand poor creatures, separated look-without any staring-such as I lead time one week-any man-talkee behind that from the congregation of mankind, carry nover beheld in any countenance before. house-too muchee bobbery three time one about their living loathsomeness amid the Mr Frank Damon, a young scholar who has tropic glories of nature. They are probably | dedicated himself to philanthropic and resent there for biblical reasons, though some | ligious labours among the Chinese of these rible outcome of the syphilis which has done | certainly never before saw a company of |

> At Molokai sinks behind gen Oahu appears—a long scarred wall of exhausted formation taken place." This gentleman volcanoes. The great scooped craters of | is a son of the veteran Dr Damon, who ha some-eyeless sockets of defunct Cyclopes | preached forty-o e years in the first Chr. -are bent seaward. The scene is one of stian church erected in the Sandwich la hard, repulsive desolution. - At length, | lands-the Seaman's Bethel. After graduat of the volcanic wall, and oh! what a fair this youth travelled in the East. In Chin. scene bursts upon the sight! A long soft he learned the language, and resolved t beach on which the sea br aks in surf-lilieg; do the work he is now doing. He believe a vast garden stretching back to mountains | that the Chinese," problem," as it is called

reached you; our gallant ship steered Pacific. through the reefs unharmed, and was secure. ly drawn alongside her wharf, there to remain from 9.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. Yet were we all wrecked as upon a desert land. The caumon that thundered from our ship's side brought no native out to meet us, neither swimmer or barge. On the wharf stand a few silent people, mostly Europeans, such as might come to most a Canarder at Liverpool. Soon I walked through the town, by a marble soda font, with its bright array glassics and syrups visible through the single open door-a chemist's shop. I am beside it, wiping the perspiration from my brow, and marmaring through a parched throat-" Some soda, please," American raised his languid head, stared a to-day. I looked deeper into the eye of that youth, and was glad to see a blush mantle his cheek as he added, "We can't buy ice on Sunday."

Mr Muckean said that on the night in country, are built of undressed stone posse of police is kept up mainly to arrest rod and smitten the rocks to fountains, question, prisoner, having an engagement subsedded in thick layers of clay or mud, people who violate a tittle of the Blue Laws Glas on Herold.

Evidence was given that prisoner was a small towns and villages in China, but the ed carefully at these people, and was disguest room is open in front, and the whole tressed to see their sufferings under the fearful heat. They seemed melting into per-The roads in this district are kept in spiration. Why had they come in broadgood repair and well drained. The bridges cloth and woollen on such a day ! Is this are very primitive structures, composed of also an item of Christianity that converts rough timber, across which the small bran- must be arrayed in Bradford stuffs? Some ches of trees are laid, and over these a reformer will appear, I hope, reminding thick layer of mud. Near Teh-yuen-fu the them to consider the costume of the lily, roads are shaded by a double row of willows otherwise they will hardly survive many and cedars, which add much to the beauty summers. In the afternoon I saw on the streets some nativo dressos which were more; The country is mountainous and well suitable to the climate. The Hawaiian The upon the roof and scratching a hole in the mirth and joyousness has almost passed away, and that their theatre can hardly be THERMOMETER-9 A.M ... Minerals are supposed to abound in this supported against the hostility of sects, neighbourhood, and certainly there must which in combination easily rule over the purposes. Prisoner was convicted of bur- be an "El Dorado" somewhere near, judg- town. America takes a great deal of sugar

I left the church of the natives in time to attend that of the Chinese. There are about 15,000 Chinese in these islands. known, for the new Customs regulations where they are welcomed and liked. They have a joss-house here, but also the new chapel, which I found well filled. The walls were covered with inscriptions in Chinese, each headed with an English phrase as "Jesus the Great Saviour." "Jesus the Great Redeemer," "Jesus the Model Boy." The preacher, with his immobile countenance and his monotonous fluency, was oddly suggestive of an automaton, but he seemed to be telling them | Manila ... 29.9979.760 E something pleasant. Their faces were Hongkong 30, 22 60, 273 ESE serene as the blue sky. There was hardly Amoy 30.2264.053 NE At the end of our first week out from Ca- a cue to be seen in the chapel. There were Foochow 30.3358.0- NE 4 b that sword at home and makee go all a liferata we stood under a beautiful down a number of women with babies, and Shanghai 3 3339.556 ENE 2 bf same other man, some little time, so he can gazing upon an island It rose from a sea beautiful little almond-eyed angels these Nagagaki. shion" and then ho talkee them gunnery The high hills of the island are graceful in mon and services in the hot chapel. Manila ... 30.0879.874 SSW |1| c man. Some time any man no savey what shape and delicately shaded. But we give Afterwards I had an opportunity of seeing Hongkong 30.3160.171 E maintain that the disease is infectious or islands, told me that most of these women rises in the East and fallon in the West, so contagious. A more credible statement is had been taken from dons of infamy, and that gradients are now about the average that what is here called leprosy is the ter- had become happy and respected wives. I corresponding to the season. the serpent's work in these heantiful islands | Chinese I oking so clean and comfortable ever since the visit of their discoverer, Cap- and when I came to converse with Mr Fran Damon I remembered the words of Confucir -"Whorever the superior man passes trans

which milk their cloududders and send the will be solved in these islands. The cross white streams to feed the plain's amenities; between the Chinese and Hawaiian races groves of cocoa-trees, of palms, and snow- is excellent. I saw a number of the offwhite houses gleaming maid them -these springof this mixture, and they were remarkmake the Hesperides goarded by that vol- ably bright and vigorous. The Hawnian canic wall whose fire breathing dragon is regards it as a step upward to marry the no longer on guard. There it is indeed; Chinese. Mr Frank Damon encourages it is no mero dream this time; it requires the Chinese to study their own classics, no distance to enchant the eye, but is even especially the great Confucius. He can fairer as our ship brings as near to beauti- hardly fail to do great good among that carrying gun- owder through the Settle- ful Honolulu. Now we crowd our prome- people. I was glad to learn from him that nade deck, now we are prepared to see the the being of Buddhist-Chinese faith most merry scenes implied in this charming cherished and reverenced in these islands environment—the islanders swimming in and in California is Quant. She is the Chi-Arcadian innocence around the ship, the ness saint who refused to enter paradise led as a jury :- Messre J. H. Maclehose, powder factory at Nanking by native craft, bright bazaar, the stalls of strange fruits, until all the human race shall have entered q squally, r rain, s snow, t thunder, o visibility, the dance and song of guileless children of before her. She is still resolutely standing | w dew (wel). - The letters are repeated to indithe Sun and of a mother Earth for ever outside the gates of heaven. She is the cate any increase over the average of their Chinese Madenna since the carliest Bud- signification. Have you heard that in the early days of | daist ages of that country, and it is touching | Sept uber the passengers of the Royal Pac- to see her mere ful and pathotic face ific Mail were wrecked at Honolulu? Do pigtured on the walls of her worshippers not be surprised if no such tidings have far away in the islands and coast of the The young King, in his straw hat and

linen coat, lying back in his London yacht presented some contrast with his smart appearance when I saw him before, moving through a South Kensington soirce with the Princess of Waies loaning on his arm. Ho seemed right happy with his dusky yachts-He does not seem to be much loved in rigidly-righteous quarters; they say he Are its inhabitants dead? The window as if he were still a post-office clerk, The blinds are closed; no smoke issues from any island has an ideal of its own in Queen chimney; hardly a human figure to be seen | Emma receiving a Bible from Queen Victoof the live stock, consisting of sheep and saked the reporter. Why, of conese I secutor and his friend went into the club, and Vladivostock. It is perhaps better with flowers, finest of all the Processing of th anywhere! Blithe and beautiful enough ria; it is shown forth in a familiar engravpigs, were washed overboard; the forward gangway was wrenched off; the formurmured the journalist. "Lawd bless the stairs with a revolver in his hand. been a small Japanese settlement here since the stairs with a revolver in his hand. been a small Japanese settlement here since the stairs with a revolver in his hand. been a small Japanese settlement here since the stairs with a revolver in his hand. been a small Japanese settlement here since the stairs with a revolver in his hand. been a small Japanese settlement here since the stairs with a revolver in his hand. tages. Queen Emma was in a very pretty in solitude. It is very hot, the thermome: the palace of him who superseded her by will of the foreign Fates that rule the islands. In point of fact the islands are "run" by a Gorman-Californian augar dealer, who monopolises their great staple, admitted into the United States without duty. Spreckles is the real King of the Sandwich Islands, and perhaps the nominal King is me listlessly, and said, "We don't sell soda airs. Spreckles's sugar monopoly is rather hard on the Californians, who have to pay 24d per lb. more for the sugar so close to them than the New Yorkers, but it brings prosperity to the islands. I believe he is Sunday; It was on a porfect Sabba- liberal in his contributions to the populaexamined, it was found that the outer and or three miles from the present site, and in tarian Zahara our ship's company were tions which build up his fabulous fortune. Harter. been wearing, were perforated, and there The native town of Yaen-san is about a anything of the manners and customs, the from is the scarcity of rain, but Artesian Menelaus (s.) was an abrasion of the surface of the skin mile from the settlement, on the highway life and play of the Hawaiian islander, wells have just been sunk (four or five of | Laurtes (s.) the same cause had torn the inner coat. The houses here, as in most parts of the with these folk of Honolulu. A large tion, as if Moses had passed there with his Georgie.

Dead Letters. Hubert, Master C., -Adelaide, Kernssnet, Monsieur,-Tonquin, Lebellee, Monsieur, Paris, Morgado, Revd. Father F. A., -Macao, .. 2 Naporeau, C. A., -Paris, 1 Ness, Mrs. Capt., -Melbourne,(s.) 2 Povice, Monsieur Caro Jean, -- France, ... 1 Rode, Madame Helene,—Marseilles,..... 2 Sambue, Monsiour, -- France, Woodford, James F., -Hiogo, Wright, Brothers, -- Molbourne, 1 Youchichi, Ireye, -- Kobe, (s) Posted at Shanghai

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CHINA COAST METEUROLOGICAT REGISTER. AT 4 P.M.-18TH JANUARY.

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hamidity of air saturated with moisture being 4. Desection of Wind, to two points.

3. Humidity, in percentage of saturation, the

5. Force or Wind, according to Beaufort 6. STATE OF WEATHER, & blue sky, c detached clouds, d drizzling rain, f tog, g gloomy.

7. Rain, in inches, tenths and hundredths. W. DOBERCK. Hongkowy Observatory, 19th Jan., 1884.

Shipping Intelligence.

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June 30, Zebina Gondey,	New York
July 13, Jupiter.	Cardiff
Aug. 11. Wilhelm Homever.	London
, 18, Marie Louise,	Liverpool
Sept. 1, Dakota,	Liverpool
7, Charlotte,	Cardiff
7. Andromeda.	Cardiff
,, 14, Margarethe,	Penarth
Oct. 2, Lucia,	London
2, Anna,	Penarth
,, 13, Frank Carvill.	Cardiff
,, 15, Aura,	Cardiff
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,, 25, Raphael,	New York
27, Recta (s.),	London
Nov. 24, Esmeralda,	Cuxhaven
,, 24, Decision,	Liverpool
., 26, Kangaroo, (s.).	London
,, 30, Medora,	Cardiff
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THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE BAD BOY. "Hello, Hennery," said the grocory man, to the bad boy, as he came in holding his sides to keep them from bursting with sappressed-laughter, "what has occurred to cause a pious young man to laugh in that worldly manner? You must try to cultivate a long, mournful countenance, and learn to sigh and look sick when you are the happiest," and the greecy man weighed out a couple of pounds of buck-wheat flour for a hired girl. " Has your pa joined the police force? I saw him driving a lot of hogs to the

pound vesterday.' "That's what I am laughing about said the boy as he nut an apple on the stove to bake it. "Pa has gone to the pound after the hogs this morning. You see, I have been taking lessons in painting and drawing, and the other day I surprised pa by showing him a picture of blue cow, with a green tail and old gold horns, and he told me he never saw anything more natural, and he advised me turn my attention entirely to animal paint-Pa keeps four hogs in a pen in th back lot, and every day he turns them out in the alley and lets them run, and takes them up when they came home. The hogs are large white ones, regular beauties, and pa thinks about as much of them as he does of me. Well, pa told me to go and the hoge out yesterday, and took my paint brush along and before turning them out I painted black spots all over the hogs. You never see a lot of speckfed hogs, where the spots were out on, any better. The liogs looked at each other kind of assonish, and I turned them out. In the afternoon, pa went out to the pen and began to call, 'poig, poig,' and the pigs came running up the alley. Pa saw the strange hogs coming and he got mad and drove them out of the alloy, and then he called for his pigs again, in a muscular tone of voice, and the speekled hogs came again, a little slower, and seeming to wonder what ailed pa. They acted as though they felt hurt at being received in such a violent manner. Pa met the speckled hogs with a broom, and he ran them down the alley again, and the hogs stood off and looked at him as though they thought he had the jim-jams. You'd a dide to see pa drive his own hogs away, and talk sassy. He got a pail of swill and called the hogs again, and they came on a gallop, and then pa called a policeman and they drove the liggs to the pound. I didn't see pa last night, but the liest thing this morning l told him I had taken his advice, and turned my attention to animal painting, and that I had painted spots on our white hogs, and made speekled hogs of them, and that speckled hogs were worth a cent's pound more than white hogs. Well, pa didn't faint away, but when it all came over him, had drove his own hogs to the pound, he was so cross he could have bit But he didn't say anything 'eause I 'spose he didn's want to discourage my artistic ambition. but he has gone down to the pound after

the hogs l" "Wrong " said the grocery man, as b put some white flour into the sack of buckwheat flour, and stirred it up. "It was a condemned outrage and deception on your pa, and you ought to be punished."

spots off, and the man that keeps the pound

will not let pa have white hogs when he

Do you think it was wrong to put spots on

THE LIME KILN CLUB.

The president stated that Prof. Holdback Remington, the great coloured Ohio scientist and philosopher, whose advent had been predicted at the last meeting, was now present in the antercom and shivering with cold and shaking with impatience. He had been in the city for three days, during lancewood shafts, Collinge's patent axle

The Committee on Reception then drew bulky. Despatched as soon as possible on on their red mittens, parted their hair in the | receipt of draft centre, and disappeared in search-of the to the platform, formally introduced, and, few swallows of hard cider, he led off":

wited to spoke to you on de subjeck of science. I has no doubt dat some of you has heard de word spoken or seen it in with very heavy case of German silver. print at some time; but how little the Nickelled, with flat crystal glass, bold dial, majority of you have cher realized de and throughout extra strong, specially inbeauties, de extent, un' de power of science ! tended for hard wear. Price £3 5s., sent Science has had a hard struggle, but she | seearly packed by post. Cash with order, am now top of de heap an" kin reward her This watch is unde by one of the first London frens and forgive her enemies. How do we | makers in England. know dat the airth revolves on her axte trees, same as the wheels of a wagin ! wads, caps, shot of all sizes and all other Science has told us. How do we know how | requisites except powder, purchased direct to cross the oshum? Science pints do way. from Eleys, 15 % Discount allowed upon of blue pill and calomel for the cure of How do we know dat the great desert of orders. dis day was once an oshun! Science has | GUNS.-We can strongly recommend | congestion of the liver, which are generally dug down and foun' clam shells and sharks' Messrs F. Bland & Sons' guns, having pain beneath the shoulders, headache jaw-bones. Without science we should be shipped many of them abroad. Always drowsiness, no appetite, furred tongue, disa world without overcoats in winter or heard good accounts of them. The agreeable taste in the morning, giddiness, sodywater in summer. We would fall from "Keeper's Gun," a central fire breach disturbance of the stomach, and feeling harvest apple trees an pick ourselves up loader, hammer out of line of sight, patent general depression. It is the safest mediwidout knowin' wheder grabitashun or fore-endfastener, rebounding locks, English cine. Taraxacum and Podophyllin is a agitashun made us come down instead of damascus barrels in 10, 12, 16, 20, Bore, fluid made only by J. PEPPER, Bedford goin' up. We should see de moon, same Price £6 6s. with choke bore barrels 21 Laboratory, London, whose name is on as now, but some would say it was inhabited extra. Hundreds of testimonials strongly every label. Bottles, 2s. 9d. Sold by all by monkeys, and odders would have an recommending this gun, home and abroad. Chemists. ideali dat it was a splendiferous locality for List on application. a persimmen grove. De sun would rise | SPORTING REQUISITES of every and sot on' warp de shingles on de roofs, description purchased-India rubber boats. dat she wasn't fifty miles away an' was held india rubber sheets, tents of every size. in place by wires:

and take another drink of eider, and amid a stillness almost solemn, he continued: compass, but we have no masheen shops known abroad. We showed them to a genwhar bow-legged men kin drap in on deir tleman just returning to Ceylon, he took way up home an git de crook straightened out three, and now writes us "Bods a comwhile dey wait. It has giben us steam, but plete success, everyone is loud in their we will crawl under house to thaw out praises and in a short time I believe no others frozen pipes, de same as de Roman Senators | will be used." These wire mattresses do metre which registers in favour ob de con: Pino frame, most casily taken to pieces. sumer? It has giben us de telegraff, but | can be put together again in a few minutes. jack which wouldn't miss a hog jist when Packs into 3 cubic feet, strong, allows comvon war' pulling on a wet boot de hardest? plete adaptation to the form of the body. contequential, I will draw my brilliant dern times. Lists with full particulars chmax to a career."

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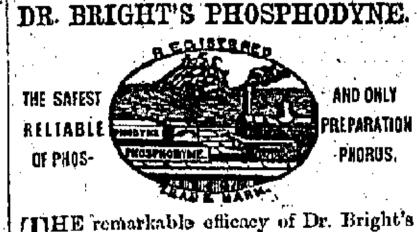
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